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## VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU ALL!

### CITY FATHERS MEET FOR FINAL SESSION OF 1927

**Mayor Montgomery Thanks Retiring Aldermen for Their Faithful Work During Past Year and Refers to Forthcoming Activities**

The last regular meeting of the City Council for 1927 was held Tuesday evening, with all members in attendance except Aldermen Paton and Inglis.

After the adoption of the minutes of the previous meeting, an offer of \$250 for lots and house in the city was not accepted, but an offer for the lots would be considered.

Wm. Irvine, M.P., for Wetaskiwin, wrote stating he was deeply interested in the coal situation and would do all he could to further the resolution passed by the Wetaskiwin Council Letter filed.

C. H. Russell, solicitor, wrote re title to Scandinavian Hall, giving his opinion that the property was absolutely owned by the city. This property will be offered for sale by auction on January 7th.

The property of Mrs. Gates has been adjusted and the property now is assessed in her own name.

C. H. Russell, solicitor, gave his opinion that Mr. Blackwell, alderman-elect, was not qualified to sit on the Council Board. Letter filed and a copy of letter will be sent to Mr. Blackwell.

Ald. Ingals reported that 400 sacks of cement had been purchased from the Revelstoke Sawmill Co. Action of Utilities Committee was ratified.

The Canadian Fairbanks-Morse Co. wrote re pumps, gave a quotation of \$1700 and \$2365 and made recommendations respecting same. Referred to Utilities Committee for report.

The Guarantee Insurance Company wrote cancelling policy carried by the city. Another policy was taken out from the Fidelity Insurance Co., and was referred to J. P. Johnson, city inspector for insurance, for report.

Johnson Agencies presented bonds for the employees at the city office, which were accepted.

The following accounts were passed for payment: General, \$265.50; electric light, \$60.44; waterworks, \$29.55; supplementary, \$240.81; firemen's payroll, \$147.00.

Chief Kingsett reported on the condition of Mr. and Mrs. Guse, who were recommended that they be given relief.

The action of the Relief Committee in engaging a woman at 75¢ a day to nurse Mrs. Guse was ratified, and the attention of Peace Hill Chapter I.O.D.E. will be drawn to the case.

Dr. N. A. Johnson, veterinary inspector, submitted his report for the last six months, which was received and filed.

Chief of Police Kingsett submitted his report for December. Received and filed.

Dr. McNeagan submitted his report as Medical Health Officer for the year, which was received and filed.

A list of delinquent light water and power accounts were considered and the users will be cut off unless substantial payments are made without delay.

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Bylaw No. 563, being a fire prevention ordinance, was read the second and third time and finally passed.

The use of the tractor and grader was granted to the committee of citizens who are endeavoring to keep the roads open for cars. These will be used on the roads outside Wetaskiwin. After a few appropriate words by His Worship, in which he thanked the retiring aldermen for their faithful work during the past year, and referred briefly to the work which must be undertaken by the 1928 council, the meeting adjourned.

### MAKES RECORD HAULING LOAD

Paul Redman was not satisfied with establishing a record for hauling the biggest load with a four horse team, reference to which was made in last week's issue, so he stepped out and broke the record for a load hauled by a single team. He hauled no less than 300 bushels and 200 lbs. of oats from the farm of Geo. F. Root to the loading platform at Wetaskiwin—or in other words, the load weighed 10,228 pounds. And now the next!

### Weddings

#### CRAIG-BELL

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bell of Wetaskiwin, on the 25th inst., at 4 p.m., when their daughter Pearl, was united in marriage to Mr. Walter Craig of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. P. C. McCrae in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends.

The bride looked charming in a lovely gown of white glistening crepe and carried a bouquet of roses and ferns. Mrs. McDonald, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, while Mr. A. Campbell ably supported the groom. After partaking of a sumptuous Christmas dinner the happy young couple left on the evening train on a short wedding trip.

Mr. Craig is well and favorably known here and is associated with Montgomery Bros. of this city and is also general manager of the Montgomery Bros. Silver Fox Farm.

Friends all join in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

#### CHURCH ISSUE THROWS LONDON INTO CONFUSION

London, Dec. 17.—Seldom has a discussion of parliament been thrown this great community into such confusion as did the referendum in the house of com-

munity night of the revised book of common prayer.

Rejection seems to have been a possibility which no one contemplated, in view of the fact that the revised book had been endorsed by the bishops of the Church of England and had been approved by the house of lords. Consequently, chaos reigns supreme in church circles and even high dignitaries appear nonplussed as to what their next step will be, and are awaiting with great concern the meeting early next week of the archbishops of Canterbury and York to discuss the latest turn of events.

It was brought out Friday that an error had been made in the official tabulation of the vote, which was originally announced as 247 to 205. The actual vote was 238 to 205, leaving a majority against the revised book of 33 votes.

Although Premier Baldwin recommended its adoption, the issue was not political, and members of rival political parties found themselves on common ground when the vote on this question was taken.

#### FARM CREDITS COME UP AT THIS SESSION

Alberta farmers are expecting to have a much right-after system of long-term mortgaging available for their benefit after the approaching session of the Alberta Legislature.

Complementary to the Dominion Act passed at the last session of the House of Commons, and calculated to make that act available here, a bill will be put into final shape by the special Alberta committee of farmers beginning shortly after January 1, Premier J. E. Brownless announced in an interview on Thursday. The bill will be ready for the session of Feb. 2, when the Legislature opens, he said.

Announced about month's ago and consisting of Ilion, H. G. Reid, Provincial Treasurer; Dr. H. M. Tory, president of University of Alberta; R. J. Dimling, chairman Alberta Liquor Control Board; James Pike, manager Lethbridge Northern Irrigation System, and C. W. Peterson, editor Farm and Ranch Review, the committee submitted a memorandum on the subject of long term credits to the Dominion Government; before the Dominion Act passed to the several provinces.

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HEAVY HOMESTEAD FILING

Up to the end of October this year, 5241 homesteads and 420 soldier grants were taken up in the four western provinces, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia, representing 96,760 acres.

During the corresponding period of last year 5997 homesteads and 423 soldier grants were filed on, representing 87,200 acres. The record shows that the homesteads of the U.P.A. members of the House of Commons for their benefit while the bill was discussed.

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## Odd Angle on the Hold-up of Calgary Bank

(Royal Bank Magazine),

Calgary has just had its first attempted bank robbery. Why bandits have overlooked this promising field until now is a mystery, as is also the reason why this first attempt should have been staged by rank amateurs instead of seasoned professionals.

It was a very disappointing hold-up. The bandits got not money at all, and had engine trouble when they were in a hurry to get away. Members of the staff had fired gun shots and scared a clearing every time, and the eastern headquarters of the bank is far from satisfied from the whole proceeding.

"We accept with reserve certain statements made in the press regarding what purports to have been an attempted hold-up of our 'Calgary branch,' headquarters in writing to Manager Granger, "and we desire to have more definite particulars from you at your earliest convenience. Please use Form BK23 in making your report and forward in triplicate."

"Meanwhile we wish to point out that we strongly disapprove of the proceedings. There should be no hold-ups in the branch, or your charge unless authorized by headquarters and we must ask you to be very particular regarding this in future. This is a hard-and-fast rule to which there can be no exceptions."

"If we are correctly informed, the three (3) bandits were admitted to the general office after 3 o'clock, in company with a customer who had a hat; a woman, naturally. It is hardly necessary to remind you that banking hours are from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. In future please see that all business is transacted within these limits, whether with women or bandits."

"We gather, by inference from the press reports, that you have a highly inefficient stenographer. There is no mention of her having screamed when it became apparent that the three strangers were bandits, and the range of her voice is a matter of indifference, but it should have been used, in saying this, please rest assured that we are not casting reflections on her private character; we merely wish to point out that she lacks the true business instinct in a crisis. As bankers we have a high regard for silent stenographers, but there are moments when screams are desirable. Please point this out to the young lady, often and earnestly."

"Your page-teller, too, appears to have conducted himself in an embarrassing manner. Advised by a bandit to 'Hold up your hands and pass over the dough,' this teller is reported to have retorted:—

"How can I pass over the dough when I'm holding up my hands?"

"Your teller is stated to have laughed when he said this. Please verify this and I will contact him and furnish his name. I hope your headquarters consider this entire evidence very indecorous indeed. Such inanity in a bank customer is simply scandalous—for all in probability these bandits have accustomed us to our own branches. This, and my advice, I did itself on the dignity of man and me, and we can assure you that this breach of etiquette will be remembered when Calgary promotions are being considered."

"We are much grieved to learn that you yourself are declared to have 'hopped sideways' into your private office when confronted with a revolver. We sincerely trust this is an exaggeration and that you will be able to inform us, on oath, that you walked sedately into your own quarters without hopping or jumping."

"A few of our branch managers have skipped in the past, but we have searched the records without learning of any other who hopped sideways. We do not consider this movement at all in keeping with the responsible

position you hold. In fact, it is so shocking as to be almost unethical."

"From this distance, and after having given the matter ample reflection, we are inclined to believe that you lacked poise in dealing with a situation which demanded a certain firmness on your part. We sincerely trust that your hopping sideways will not be taken as a precedent by other bank managers, and we are sending out a circular letter strongly deprecating the practice."

"We would like to be advised, in strict confidence, as to the reason why you had your revolver on your desk before the bandits arrived. This is not the usual practice here, and we have always been under the impression that you had mastered the art of persuading a Calgary merchant that he was not entitled to a loan without having to threaten him with a revolver. We do not approve of the use of firearms, even in the west, unless there is no other way of straightening an account."

"Please explain why seven (7) shots were fired without anybody being hit. Crabbies cost money and should not be wasted in that promiscuous manner. The newspaper intimate that you missed the bandits by several feet and that the ledger keeper missed you by inches. Such poor shooting is deplorable."

"We trust that the report of damage to the walls and furniture has been greatly overstated. Please let us have an estimate of the cost of repairs. It would have been better if the members of your staff had shot low so that the bullets would have buried themselves in the floor, where the damage would have been negligible."

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**THE WHOLE FAMILY GOES A'SHOPPING**

(By Samuel C. Singer)

"Twas a month before Christmas, till Father's eyes crept that hunted hook peculiar to the..."

...while the females thereof are planning a predatory excursion on the family exchanges!

His worst fears were realized that very evening. At the dinner table, Daughter suggested that Dad might feel more comfortable if he took off his coat. As though that were not warning enough, roast beef supplanted the usual Monday chicken exchange.

Somewhere in his reading, Father had stumbled across the dictum that "The only defensive is a strong offensive." He determined to get in the last blow. He had never yet helped but help spoken clearly:

**Down to Business**

"Well, you've faultered the old bull; now drew those Christmas lists out of your sleeves. But I'm warning you—"

**Both Her Children Subject to CROUP and BRONCHITIS**

Mrs. H. Farrell, Windsor, Ont., writes: "I am worried about the coming of winter as both my children were subject to croup and bronchitis."

"My baby was so bad with bronchitis I had to keep her in a sitting position all night long or she would have smothered."

"The other child had bronchitis and croup continually until I read about

**Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup**

"I started with a bottle and at the first symptoms they showed of their old weakness I gave it to them and it relieved them both and neither of them have been troubled since."

"Pint \$2.50, a bottle, large family size, 60c.; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont."

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## New Scotch Citizens for Canada



Here are three immigrant families typical of the large army of immigrants who have come over from Scotland to Canada this year. Fresh from the land of heather and full of hopes for success, they embarked recently at Quebec from the Anchor-Donaldson liner Athena. After immigration inspection they proceeded by C. N. R. to pre-arranged destinations in the Western provinces.

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## A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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A New Year is knocking at the door. May it enter bringing Peace, Prosperity, Good-will and Happiness.

We hope to see you often during 1928 in our new establishment "The Pal."

**WATCH FOR ANNOUNCEMENT  
of our Big Opening Night**

OUR USUAL NEW YEAR'S DINNER  
from soup to nuts - at 75¢  
will be served New Year's Day, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The Hotel staff have expressed their appreciation of the splendid behaviour of all during the festive season.

C. SMITH,  
Driard and Criterion.

## SPORTING NEWS

## CHRISTMAS HOCKEY GAME

The only hockey team in town apart from the school teams and the Trall Rangers, met a team from Edmonton on the ice at the Skating Rink on Christmas Monday in the evening, and gave a good exhibition of their skill. The captain of the team is Abe Abousafa and the manager is Dave Pritchard. It is a branch of activity developed from the Taxis Square.

The line-up of the team was: Goal, Clifford Munn; defense, Arthur Brickman, Abe Abousafa; forwards, Stanley Chander, Jim Dickson and James Paton. A second forward was Walter Orr, Bill Morris and Alfred Values.

The home team were in good form, played fair combination and were more than a match for the Edmonton team. The score was 11 to 2 in favor of Wetaskiwin.

On account of a mishap the Edmonton boys did not arrive to play in the afternoon, so substituted, when a good crowd was in attendance. The game was postponed until evening when only a fair crowd came to watch the play.

The goalkeeper, Clifford Munn, made some excellent stops. Perhaps the most effective player on the home team was Stanley Chander, who excelled both in speed and shooting on goal. Once at least, he caught the rebound and found the net.

The game shows the possibilities of our boys and recreates an interest in this thrilling winter sport.

## COMMUNICATION

WIDE CUNK SLEIGHS  
WILL HELP TO KEEP  
THE ROADS OPEN

The Editor, Wetaskiwin Times:

Dear Sir:

As a large percentage of the farmers in this district now own cars and trucks, the question of keeping our roads open, at least open for car traffic during the winter is very important.

If cars can operate during the winter the family in the country can conveniently reach town, and more important still if sickness develops, doctors and nurses are available in a much shorter space of time.

Last spring, in speaking to a farmer in another part of the province, I found that he and four others living on the same road seriously consider-

ed the matter of keeping their particular road open for car traffic. After some discussion they each obtained a wide bank sleigh and used them for all road hauling. The result was satisfactory as they found that even after heavy snows their cars could travel as soon as one of the wide sleighs had made one or two trips over the road.

In addition, they found that they had built even better loads on the wide bunks than they used to on the narrow ones, and that their loads were far steeper and did not show the tendency to upset that they did when on narrow bunks.

As a suggestion to those interested in winter car travel, could not two or three car-owning farmers on one road equip themselves with wide-bunk sleighs and use them to demonstrate not only that cars can travel behind them, but also to prove their superiority over the present type which is now obsolete in many of the prairie States in the country to the south of us.

Years for better travelling facilities in this district during the winter.

"INTERESTED."

## CITIZENSHIP

What makes a country really great? Not land nor fortis nor gold nor dross.

But citizens whose lives are set To service and to righteousness.

A nation cannot make a home,

One nature's shower makes a state;

The greatest of her sons she alone Can make a country truly great.

That is, indeed, a mighty load.

Happy and strong and beautiful,

Where each promotes the public good.

And all are brave and dauntless,

God speed the day in every hand,

When selfishness an discontent

Shift yield to brotherhood, and all Shall seek the common betterment!

Until the other day a woman aged a hundred-and-three, living in County Tyrone, had never seen a motor car. That explains it.

Help Wanted, Female

Wanted, Laundress anywhere, to advertise full and small circulars at 10c. Enclose stamp for particulars.

HOME MANFG. CO., TORONTO 3.

Smith's Variety Store  
Sale of Bankrupt Stock  
comes to a close  
Saturday, Dec. 31

COME AND GET YOUR  
SHARE of the BARGAINS

All Toys and Dolls at  
a Great Reduction !!

SNOW PLOWS DOING  
EXCELLENT WORK ON  
ROADS OUT OF TOWN

With farmers in all directions co-operating, prospects are good this year that the leading in and out of Camrose will be kept clear of snow during the winter months. Two snow plows have been at work, with excellent results. Materials coming in from the east and west claim that the roads have never been better. The Canadian understands that Judge W. A. D. Lees, who lives one mile north of the east road, is constructing a snow plow and intends to keep his mile of road open if at all possible. Other farmers are co-operating in other districts, endeavoring to open up tributary roads. It will be remembered that at the Board of Trade annual banquet the subject of keeping the roads open came in for long discussion. As a result of this discussion, the committee appointed by the Board of Trade was responsible for the building of one snow plow, while it is understood that Reeve A. E. Tanner, of Lloyd George Municipality undertook to supervise the construction of the second plow.—Canadian.

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Myrtle Owen	65
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Clyde Moran	35.1
Robert Gardner	34.9
Grace Turner	32.1
Gervinda Liveridge	32
Albertine Abousafa	31.8
Jim Dickson	27.1
Hannah Page	27

Grade XII.

Frank Morrison	81
Kenneth Brown	70.83
Doris Hanna	61.88
Robert Thomas	57.83
Clara Williamson	52.12
Morgan French	47.38
Norma Childs	37
Elizabeth Ochs	30
Norma Nelson	(not rated)

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1928

We greet you right heartily at this season of the year, and wish you Happiness and Prosperity during the year 1928 !

WHYTE & ORR LIMITED

May Lady Luck smile her prettiest upon you — may your Health be perfect — and Prosperity leave its share with you in the

NEW YEAR !

BLACKWELL BOOT SHOP

Here's hoping you start the New Year with a smile and that every day of it will see you arising with a smile and retiring with a smile.

JES. N. SCHREIFELS  
Chevrolet and Oakland Dealer

To know you're happy — makes us happy. So you can't blame me for wanting to wish you all in this great community a

HAPPY NEW YEAR.

WETASKIWIN CREAMERY Co. Ltd.

May the sunshine of Health, Happiness and Prosperity cast its rays upon you and yours in the

NEW YEAR !

J. A. HAY & CO.

If we can be of any Service toward making your New Year happier — call on us. We aim to keep folks smiling!

SAM BAXTER  
Coal and Ice Draying

We wish one and all  
Every Happiness  
and Prosperity  
for the year 1928.

WETASKIWIN  
HOTEL

We wish to thank our many customers for their patronage this year.  
We extend to all our very best wishes for a  
**SUCCESSFUL AND HAPPY NEW YEAR !**  
COOKE DRUG COMPANY  
Dispensing Chemists Wetaskiwin

1928  
GREETINGS !

We wish a Hearty and  
Prosperous New Year  
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and friends.

WALDORF CAFE

We take this opportunity of extending to our  
friends and clients our Best Wishes for a  
**HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR**  
MASSEY HARRIS CO.  
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On the threshold of a  
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## WEEKLY BULLETIN

(Issued by Publicity Commissioner, Government of Alberta, Edmonton, Dec. 24, 1927.)

## Session to Open February 2

The Alberta Legislature will convene for its 1928 session on February 2, according to the announcement made during the past week by Premier Browne. It is not expected that the session will be a lengthy one this year, although a number of new bills and amendments are being included in the agenda which is now in course of preparation.

## Canning Firm Prepares for Busy Season

Some 600 acres of land in the district surrounding Edmonton have been leased for canning purposes by the Broder Bros. Co. of New Westminster, B.C. This firm will open a branch plant in Edmonton. In the spring of 1928 and expects to grow a large acreage of peas, beans, spinach and other vegetables for canning purposes. They also expect to bring in shipments of tomatoes from the interior of British Columbia to be canned in the Edmonton factory.

## Good Returns for Season's Wool Crop

A total of \$32,931.65 has been distributed among farmers in the central and northern part of the province in payment for their 1927 wool clip handled by the Alberta Provincial Sheep Breeders' Association, and sold through the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Ltd. Total wool shipments amounted to 111,059 pounds and an average of 2.65 cents per pound was realized. The price while comparing favorably with that of last year, was reduced to some extent by the high percentage of inferior grades in the 1927 clip.

## Livestock Will be Feature of Short Course

The important place occupied by the farming industry in Alberta is indicated by the importation during the past week of a shipment of 27 pairs of silver foxes from ranches in the Maritime Provinces. These animals which are valued at \$25,000 were consigned to the National Silver Fox Club at Morleyville.

## O.S.A. Students' Reunion Jan. 3

Attendance at the reunion of students at the Old School of Agriculture on January 3 promises to exceed all records.

Alberta Wool Took Many Prizes at Toronto Royal

Exhibits of wool sent down by a number of Alberta sheep men made a splendid showing in the various classes at the recent Toronto Royal Show. In the class for medium staple or 38 blood staple flocks, Alberta entries carried off all but one prize, in the class for fine and medium staple or fine and half-blood staple flocks, Alberta won four prizes.

## Vulcan Votes for Municipal Hospital

A vote in the Vulcan municipal hospital district on December 8, gave a decisive verdict in favor of the erection of a hospital, the figures being \$24 votes for the measure and 60 against. The building will be located in the town of Vulcan.

## Agricultural Short Course at University

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## SCOTT'S MEAT MARKET MILLET

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### WHEAT POOL NEWS LETTER

During the week commencing January 2nd, J. Jesse Strong, director for the Clarendon District, has arranged for the delegates in his district to hold a series of educational meetings at the head office of the Alberta Wheat Pool. These are ten delegates and they will take through every department of the Wheat Pool and given a thorough insight into its operation. Mr. Strong's idea is to acquaint his delegates thoroughly with the workings of the organization in order that they may be well qualified to distribute the information throughout their districts.

C. M. Hall, manager of the Alberta Post-Elevators, has arranged to send copies of the circular letter he distributes to his agents from time to time, to all 70 delegates throughout the Province. In this way the delegates are kept posted as to the policies laid down by the management of the elevator organization. Suggestions which might lead to betterment in the services rendered are invited by the elevator management from Pool members.

A committee of the Board of Directors of Alberta Wheat Pool has presented a report on the suggestion to change the method of handling grain in Western Canada from the bushel basis to that of the pound basis.

To date the Alberta Wheat Pool elevators have handled over 15 million bushels of grain from 1927 crop. This handling is considered very satisfactory by C. M. Hall, the manager. Pool local elevators now number 157, with three new houses yet to be opened.

A high tribute to the influence of the Canadian Wheat Pool on world prices the past year is given in a review of the world wheat situation in 1926-27 by the Food Research Institute of Leland Stanford University, California. The report gives statistics proving that the United States, Canadian and French crops were greatly underestimated and the world crop of 1926 was the largest ever harvested except in 1915. "Despite the huge world crop," the review states, "world prices were not so low as in 1923-24. The distribution of crops between exporting and importing countries, growing population and demand for white bread, a general upbuilding of stocks, economic recovery in Europe, and strong holding by exporters (notably the Canadian Pool) helped to maintain prices."

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# THE MILLET PAGE

This Page Devoted to the Interests of Millet and District.

Telephone to, or leave all items for this page, as well as advertisements, and all orders for commercial printing, with Mr. Graham, at the Drug Store

### MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Mr. West spent Tuesday last in the city.

Mrs. Plant was a visitor to the city for a few days last week.

The skating rink is being well patronized these days and evenings.

Miss Alice McNamee of Daysland, is at home during the Christmas week.

Miss Thomas is a Christmas guest of Bishop and Mrs. Gray in Edmonton.

Mr. Jenks, formerly of the National Elevator Co., was in town on Saturday.

Mr. E. A. Spooner of Edmonton, spent Christmas at his home at Portia Bello.

Master Will Dowler, of Millhurst, was a bowler to Millet on Friday.

Miss Gwen Christie, teacher at Winterton, is spending the Christmas vacation at home.

The Wetaskiwin Junior hockey team

played a game with Millet juniors on Monday and lost to the locals 5-2.

Miss Eileen Cotterell of Camrose Normal School, is spending Christmas vacation at her home at Larchtree.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham had as their Christmas guests the Misses Muriel Batstone and Marion Graham of Edmonton.

The buffalo meat sold last week to the local butchers was of a good quality and much enjoyed by those who sampled it.

Miss Margaret Macdonald, student at Calgary Normal School, arrived on Friday evening to spend Christmas week at home.

Mr. Stuart McClelland of Hughenden, arrived on Saturday to spend Christmas Day in the home circle with Mr. J. H. Moore.

Mr. Tooker, principal of Millet school, is spending the Christmas vacation at his home in Edmonton, also Miss Pirie of the primary department, Miss Fagen of the intermediate room, going to her home at Olds.

### COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE

The Community Christmas tree was the scene of attraction on Tuesday evening, when a very entertaining program was presented by the pupils of the Millet school, before a very large audience. The beautifully decorated tree occupied its usual position and was loaded with gifts for all.

Each number in the program presented showed careful preparation and Miss Margaret Halmer at the piano, proved a satisfactory accompanist, the whole reflecting great credit to the work of the teaching staff, Mr. Tooker, Miss Fagen and Miss Pirie.

### CHRISTMAS SERVICE

There was a good attendance at the Sunday evening service in the United church. The pastor spoke of the message to the shepherds outside Bethlehem, how heaven was moved to declare the significance of the great event then occurring. What was wrapped up in that tiny babe of possibilities for the world. Why the Son of God came as a babe and not as a new creation, and how at this Advent season we should stoop at His feet to become babes in the kingdom and make Christians real by opening our hearts anew to His life.

A solo by Mrs. Harry Stuart "I shall pass this way again" was very powerfully rendered. The choir sang an anthem "Come Lord Jesus" and Mrs. Percy Alken gave a very appropriate reading "How the Great Guest came." Christmas hymns were sung and the service was closed by the choir singing "There's a song of wondrous beauty" the congregation joining in the refrain "O come, all ye faithful." After the Benediction "Silent Night, Holy Night," was sung as the vesper.

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#### FOR THE NEW YEAR

Follow with reverent steps, the great example of Him whose holy work was doing good;

So shall the wide earth seem  
our Father's temple,  
each loving life a palm of gratitude.

—Whittier.

1928

Let a little Christmas cheer  
linger through the coming year.  
Let the sunshine of Good Will  
lighten every nation's ill,  
Let the "peace on earth" pervade  
All the peoples war arrayed.  
Thus shall envy, strife and hate  
Bitter thought and fierce debate  
Find no place in home or state  
Throughout Nineteen Twenty Eight.

### A NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE

The year 1928 will be soon passing over. Most of the people of Alberta have reason to have very kind remembrances of the departing year, yet will they look with hope, courage and anticipation towards the rosy dawn where 1928 will soon appear. This attitude of the forward look is natural to all whose hearts are young. To spend too much time looking over the scenes of the former days is an evidence we are growing old. A great pioneer of the past announced his attitude to "forgetting the things which are behind, I press toward the mark." The flush of eternal youth was ever on his brow. Splendid achievements marked his career. He never could be content however, with them. The Divine discontent was ever in him and he pressed toward a larger and better day. This attitude, betokened by the phrase "The best is yet to be," is distinctive of the Christian religion. The ancients always speak of an age—the golden age—when men were always good, brave, faithful, noble and women pure, generous, decent. But they placed that age somewhere in the remote past. It had passed away, far off, the sage of China, taught his race to look back toward the scenes of the past. All wisdom belonged to them. This backward look kept China for centuries at a standstill, till later it had broken away and was busy with its future, with confused ideas of what it wanted. Christianity has placed us a golden age, but it lies in the future and we are ever pressing on to better things. That glorious day of the races' freedom from ill and wrong is coming on. It beckons forward and points to a better day ahead. Let us keep young.

What has 1928 for you? What are you doing to assure that question yourself? Do you expect your ship to come back home to port? Yes, but have you sent it out yet? It cannot come sailing in till first of all leaves shore! What plans and purposes and enterprises have you set on foot to look for a larger, better day? Nothing worth while ever simply happened. Behind every project; completed lies great endeavor. Would it not be well for you to follow the example of the business man and take stock? Would it not be worth while to ask ourselves such questions as these? Is it easier for me to do right than one year ago? If I continue as I am, what kind of an old man or woman will I be? What is my real aim in living? What is my life worth to my community? What message does my life speak to others? Am I making an honest endeavor to reach my ideals?

Setting our sails to the propelling winds of the New Year we can surely advance and make life so worth while and satisfying. It may only be sentiment when we purpose to start anew at the first of the year rather than another time, but sentiment is strong, let us take advantage of it. We need all help. We can advance this year if we will.

### W.A. BRANCH ORGANIZED

On November 25th, a meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Brinker to organize a branch of the Women's Auxiliary to the Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada.

Mrs. Lane, of Leduc, in the chair, opened the meeting with prayer and gave a very interesting talk on the work of the W.A.

The following officers were elected: President, Miss Thomas; vice-president, Mrs. Le Rod Ferguson; secretary, Mrs. Vellor; treasurer, Mrs. Thorn.

The meetings will be held every Tuesday at 8 p.m., at the members' homes in town.

"Don't you think it would have been advisable to introduce this young man to your parents before becoming engaged to him?"

"Oh, that won't matter, Dad. Will says that however much he may dislike my people he won't allow it to interfere with our engagement."

Mr. Emil Skoye is at home for the Christmas week.

Mrs. Carney of Edmonton, was a visitor last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. Carney.

Mr. McHugh, local agent for the National Elevator, spent Christmas in Edmonton.

Mr. Harold Hardale of Oldsbury, is visiting at the home of his uncle Mr. George Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Horne, parents of Mrs. J. O. Anderson, are Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Anderson.

Mrs. Graham and Miss Marion were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Christie on Monday.

Mrs. Gena Moon spent the Christmas weekend at her home, returning to Calgary on Monday evening.

Mr. Herbert Scharf was home for the Christmas festivities and to attend the Scharf-Forbes wedding on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Moen and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. West and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Moen on Monday evening.

Miss Rose Kubek and Miss Marion students in Camrose Normal, are at their homes near Millet for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Stanley Scott, of Scott's Meat Market, was confined to his home through illness for several days during the week.

Commencing with next issue, on the short page will be an account of a short tour through the United Kingdom, Holland, Belgium and France, from the pen of one of the party.

On Sunday, Jan. 8th, after the usual church of England service at 11 o'clock there will be a service of reception of the members of the branch of the Women's Auxiliary, recently formed, and the blessing of the badge.

### WEDDING

At the residence of the bride's parents, six miles north-east of Millet, on Monday afternoon, Mr. Charles Scharf was married to Miss Georgia Forbes. The bride was born at Millet and was accompanied by her father, Mr. Norman Forbes. The bridegroom was supported by his brother Herbert Scharf. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. H. Macdonald of Millet. The bride was dressed in geranium, trimmed with silver. At the wedding supper, the bridegroom's father, Mr. Charles Scharf, in a few felicitous words, proposed the health of the bride. The officiating clergyman also spoke briefly to the participants. A very pleasant evening was spent celebrating the nuptials of these popular young people.

### SPEEDING YEARS

How swift the years roll on, my friends! How swift the years roll on! They come and make their bow and

Had Kidney Trouble  
Back Got So Bad  
Could Not Bend

Mr. A. John Angle Lake, Alta., wife—Mrs. John Angle, 45 years, was so troubled with his kidneys I could not do my housework.

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"After using three boxes I got complete relief from my trouble."

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### A New Year's Wish--

When you bid farewell to the Old Year may you remember only the bright happy days it held for you, and may these days be doubled many times this coming Glad New Year.

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### A Happy and Prosperous New Year to All

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ben, they smile and then they're gone! Some morning the mirror face, we see a snowy hair; and ere we've time to dye the place, a hundred faces are there. But yesterday my teeth were down and life seemed in its deepest gloom, and like a ghost I stood in the dark, my mind and strength are gone; they take me homeward on a dray; how swift the years roll on!

—Walt Mason.

"Won't you cut up when Clarice fitted you to marry Blanche?" asked Madge.

"Yes, but I had my revenge," replied Madge. "I sent the bride a book to read on her honeymoon: Stevenson's 'Travels with a Donkey.'

### Millet U.F.A. Co-Operative Association Ltd.

We take this opportunity to wish you a very HAPPY NEW YEAR and to thank you heartily for all your good will in the past year.

We trust that our friendly relations may continue in the year to come. And may it be a good year for you—with success, happiness and true friendship to brighten every day on the calendar.

Sincerely Yours,

J. P. BENHAM, Manager

### For You

whom we count amongst our friends we hope the waning year has been one full of achievement to spur you on to greater things.

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### CANADIAN PACIFIC

## ANGUS THEATRE

**FRIDAY, 8 P.M.** SATURDAY, 2:30, 7:30 and 9:30 P.M.  
WALLACE BEERY and RAYMOND HATTON in  
"NOW WE'RE IN THE AIR"

"Behind the Front" showed them in the army; "We're in the Navy Now" took them to the sea. "Now We're in the Air" presents them as baty balloons, soaring to new heights of comedy.

Comedy and News

**MONDAY, TUESDAY, 8 P.M.** January 2 and 3  
SYD CHAPLIN in  
"THE MISSING LINK"

This is our New Year special and Syd's best since "Charlie's Aunt." The title is one enough as to what you may expect in this riot of hilarity.

Comedy and Review

**WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, 8 P.M.** January 4 and 5  
"TEA FOR THREE"

Lev Cody and Alice Pringle have the leading roles in this comedy drama of the eternal triangle, directed by Robert Z. Leonard.

Comedy and Felix

We Wish All a Happy New Year!

PRINCE OF WALES' GIFT  
OF BIBLE FOR PEACE TOWER  
OF PARLIAMENT BUILDINGS

Ottawa, Dec. 9.—When the memorial chamber in the Peace Tower of the Parliament Buildings is completed, there will in all probability be installed in it a Western which will be the repository of the Bible, which was presented to the Canadian people by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, subsequent to the dedication of the altar last August. The fact that the heir to the throne had made such a present had passed unnoticed, said a high official of the department of national defense today, and nowhere had there been any indication that the public was aware of the gift. This was due, perhaps, to the fact that the act was entirely spontaneous on the part of His Royal Highness and that no provision had been made for it in the official program of the ceremony.

The Bible is a large octavo volume of India paper, printed in clear type and bound in black Russian leather. It is the authorized King James' version.

Within the cover is a half sheet of notepaper, simply inscribed in the handwriting of His Royal Highness, with the following words:—

"I dedicate this Bible to the undying memory of those in whose honor this chamber has been built. Edward P."

It was the Prince's intention that the book should rest in the memorial chamber as a special present from

himself and for the use of those who, entering Canada's national sanctuary for the purpose of meditation and prayer, desired the consoling inspiration of the Holy Scriptures.

ALBERTA DELEGATION WOULD  
HAVE C.N.R. BUY NORTH LINE

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—That the Edmonton and Dunvegan Railroad, now operated as well as owned by the Alberta Government, and extending into the Peace River country, should be taken over by the government and abandoned to the Canadian National, is being advocated by an Edmonton delegation here consisting of K. N. Blatchford,

M.P., L. A. Glantz, M.L.A., Col. MacLeod and William Houston. After

speaking the prime minister and Hon. Meighen, Daniels and Stewart last evening, others were called on today.

The line was formerly under lease to the Canadian Pacific, and fears were expressed by the delegation that as the Alberta government

would partly profit the road, the Canadian Pacific may acquire it and shut out the Canadian National.

The delegation was promised that the matter is one which, along with

propositions for the acquisition of other subsidiary lines, will be fully considered.

Harold — "My wife explored my pockets last night."

His Pal — "What did she get?"

Harold — "About the same as any explorer—enough material for a lecture."

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## Church and Sunday School

IMMANUEL CHURCH

Rev. D. D. Macqueen, Vicar

Sunday, January 1—

Sunday next, Jan. 1st, at 7:30 p.m., will be the last time Rev. D. D. Macqueen will conduct the services as Vicar of Immanuel Church. There will be special music by the choir and by the Sunday school.

There will also be a celebration of Holy Communion on Sunday at 8:30 a.m.

The annual parishioners meeting and social will be held on Wednesday, January 4th.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. P. C. McCrae, Minister

Sunday, January 1—

New Year services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. W. Mason, of Edmonton, at both services.

12:15—Sunday school.

FIRST UNITED CHURCH

Minister, Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D.

Sunday, January 1—

11 a.m.—Jesus example for the New Year."

2:30 p.m.—Sunday school. The general school and adult Bible class will meet in the church and the Young People in the meeting building.

7:30 p.m.—"Up and On"—During the first week in January special services will be held in the church each evening, except Saturday, beginning at 8 o'clock.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed on Sunday, January 5th at the morning service.

ST. ANDREW'S SUNDAY SCHOOL  
HAVE SUCCESSFUL EVENING

The cantata "A Christmas Secret," presented by the St. Andrew's Sunday school, proved to be a production of considerable merit.

The characters were very happily selected and the voices suited the numbers with a natural expression that was pleasing to the audience. There was a fortunate absence of haste or confusion, with the result that the grown-ups lost all sense of strain and just sat back to enjoy themselves.

If one can judge by the volume of applause they certainly did enjoy themselves immensely.

Much credit is due the teachers and friends who worked so unsparsely to make the evening's enjoyment possible. But it is to the children themselves and to Mrs. Chas. Boyer, who directed the cantata, that the bulk of the praise must go.

Immediately after the cantata, Santa Claus appeared and distributed presents to young and old with his usual generosity.

A cordial welcome is extended to all.

FULL GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Albert Parker, Pastor

Sunday, January 1—

11 a.m.—Morning service.

Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.

8 p.m.—Evangelistic service.

Wednesday evening, 8 p.m., prayer and praise meeting.

Friday, January 5, 8 p.m.

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eral housework, in home where there is electric washer and electric iron. Highest wages. Apply by letter to Box "C" Times Office. 41-1n

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Any one can see the difference of your heartwarming, and many one of your New Year's Resolutions he—to call frequently at

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and to

Everybody

NOTICE OF IMPOUNDED ANIMAL

Notice is hereby given that by vir-

ture of the power granted under Sec-

tion 44 of the Domestic Animals Act

(Municipalities) and the Municipal

District of Bigstone, No. 459, one red

cow, white back, aged 7 or 8 years,

weight about 1200 lbs., branded D7

under bar, on left ribs, left ear split,

and impounded on the pound kept by

the undersigned, S.W. 12-46-56, W4, on

December 20th, and further take

note that the animal will be offered

for sale at the said pound on Wednes-

day, January 4th, 1928, at 10 o'clock

sharp, unless claimed before that time.

Dated December 23rd, 1927.

ALBERT KILONE,

Poundkeeper,

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H. G. FINCH, Manager

## SPECIAL NOTICES

\*\*\*"Now We're in the Air," is the latest comedy special of Raymond Hatton and Wallace Beery. Do not miss seeing it on Friday and Saturday of this week at the Theatre.

\*\*\*A masquerade dance will be held in the Crooked Lake Community Hall, seven miles north and one mile east of the court house, on Monday evening, Jan. 2nd. Music by a five-piece orchestra.

\*\*\*"The Missing Link," Syd Chaplin's special New Year feature showing at the Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, January 2nd and 3rd.

\*\*\*Remember the New Year's dance under the auspices of the Wetaskiwin Elks on Monday evening, Jan. 2nd, in the Elks' Hall. Music by the Moonbeams.

\*\*\*If you enjoyed "Adam and Eve," you will also enjoy "Tea for Three," Lev Cody and Alice Pringle are the featured players and Robert Leonard is the director of this lively comedy drama, which will be shown at the Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday next week.

MUSIC STIMULATES HAPPINESS IN HOMES

We all know that thrill on the part of an individual or a people is a thing to be admired; an integral part of character, is absolute essential for national progress.

Thrift must be practised in many ways, and it does not always pertain to money. Sometimes one may practise thrift in musical matters. For instance, there is no stronger indication of thrift than the possession of music in the home, for in that it represents an investment, in perhaps the most cultured and educative enjoyment the world has to offer.

Without music in the home, people if they require music at all, must spend money on the operas, music comedies, concerts and recitals. This brings enjoyment, certainly, but only ephemeral enjoyment.

To perpetuate this enjoyment, and to keep music alive and in the heart, one must have music of some sort in the homes, even if it be a player-piano, violin, phonograph or some other musical producer.

Like all other countries in the world, what Canada needs today is more music in the home. This is an investment that pays high moral dividends.

An Englishman was sight-seeing in America and was conducted by a boastful Yankee. There they came to the statue of George Washington.

"Do you know," said the Yank, "that never a lie left his lips?"

"No," exclaimed the Englishman, I don't doubt it. I expect he talked through his nose like the rest of you."

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"E' knows, master," he said.

"But how can he know?" persisted

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"Cos' e's underneath."

Advertiser in the paper that circu-

lates all over the district thoroughly.

## Greetings

You all Happy? Glad to hear it. Hope you are for the next 52 weeks.



## BRODY'S

Accident had happened in a

country lane. A huge and well-laden

lorry skidded on the wet road and

overturned a farmer's market cart.

"You'd better go and find your

employer," the driver of the motor

advised the half frightened lad who

stood looking at his load of vegetables strewn all over the road.

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## New Year's Greetings to You All

May the year 1928 bring you Health and the greatest measure of Success and Prosperity, is the sincere wish of

F. T. KIRSTEIN

Proprietor

## 1928

Heartily sincere is this

simple wish of

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NEW YEAR

TO YOU !

## The City Bakery

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To Our Customers

and to Everybody

Our sincere hope is

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H. G. FINCH, Manager

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